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August 12, 2003

B. J. Duplantis, REP GORDON, ARATA, MCCOLLAM, DUPLANTIS & EGAN LLP P. O. Box 81829 Lafayette, LA 70598-1829

RE:

EMERGENCY REQUEST OF August 11, 2003

SAND(s):

6500' ZONE, RESERVOIR A

FIELD:

WEST DELTA BLOCK 83 FIELD

PARISH:

Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana

APPLICANT:

GOODRICH PETROLEUM CORPORATION

Dear Mr. Duplantis:

Because of the reason set forth in your emergency request letter, it has been determined that undue hardship would be caused by the 20-day delay prescribed in Rule 3 of the Revised Rules of Procedure, effective October 11, 1983. You are therefore permitted to immediately file your application in compliance with Rule 8 of the Revised Rules of Proced

Yours truly,

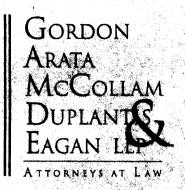
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August 11, 2003

Ref: 147-20864

Mr. John Aldridge Director, Engineering Division Office of Conservation Post Office Box 94275 Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9275

Re: 6500' Zone, Reservoir A

WEST DELTA BLOCK 83 FIELD
Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana

Applicant: Goodrich Petroleum Corporation

Dear Mr. Aldridge:

Attached to this letter is a plat which shows the lease which will expire on September 24, 2003.

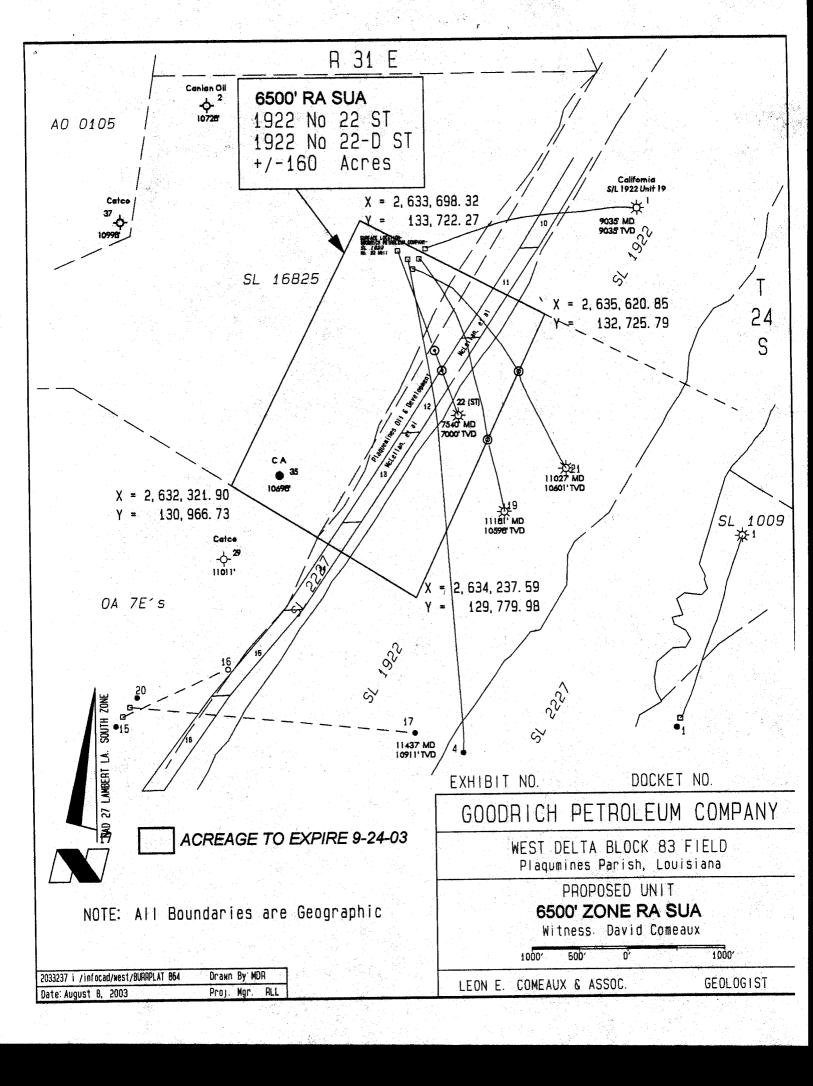
We have finalized the geology relative to the subject sand and portions of the expiring lease will be included in our proposed unit. Therefore, in order to unitize the subject sand prior to the expiration date of the lease, we respectfully request waiver of the pre-application notice required in Rule 3 of the Rules of Procedure for Conducting Hearings Before the Commissioner of Conservation in connection with this matter.

Please be assured that, if a waiver of the pre-application notice requirement is granted, we will fully comply with Rule 8 of the Rules of Procedure for Conducting Hearings Before the Commissioner of Conservation.

Very truly yours,

BJD:ht Enclosures

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August 11, 2003

Ref: 147-20864

Honorable James H. Welsh Commissioner of Conservation Post Office Box 94275 Baton Rouge, LA 70804-4275

Re: Hea

Hearing Application

6,500' Zone, Reservoir A WEST DELTA BLOCK 83 FIELD Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana

Applicant: Goodrich Petroleum Corporation

Dear Mr. Commissioner:

In accordance with the Rules of Procedure for Conducting Hearings Before the Commissioner of Conservation of the State of Louisiana, application is hereby made on behalf of Goodrich Petroleum Corporation for the calling of a public hearing, after legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an order pertaining to the 6,500' Zone, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana.

- To create a single drilling and production unit of approximately 160 acres for the 6,500' Zone, Reservoir A, designated as the 6,500' RA SUA, West Delta Block 83 Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana, all as shown more particularly on the attached plat;
- To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the said unit;
- 3. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the unit so created, with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation;
- To designate a unit operator and a unit well for the proposed unit;
- 5. To consider such other matters relating to the subject reservoir as may be appropriate and justified by the evidence presented at the public hearing.

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The 6,500'' Zone, Reservoir A, in the West Delta Block 83 Field is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the measured depths of 6,608 feet and 6,983 feet (electrical log measurements) in Goodrich Petroleum Corporation S. L. 1922 No. 22 (ST-1) Well, located in Section 47, Township 24 South, Range 31 East, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana.

The Commissioner of Conservation has waived the twenty (20) day preapplication notice requirement provided for in Rule 3 of the Rules of Procedure for Conducting Hearings Before the Commissioner of Conservation and that rule is not applicable to this hearing application.

A conference to discuss this application WILL BE HELD at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, August 25, 2003, in the offices of Gordon, Arata, McCollam, Duplantis & Eagan, LLP, 625 E. Kaliste Saloom Rd., Suite 301, Lafayette, Louisiana 70508.

Attached hereto and made a part hereof is a plat outlining the 6,500' Zone, Reservoir A, West Delta Block 83 Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana, and a list of the names and addresses of the interested owners, represented parties and interested parties to whom this notice is being sent. It is hereby certified that a reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all interested owners, represented parties and interested parties.

A copy of the list of the names and addresses of the interested owners, represented parties and interested parties is not being mailed to those parties along with this application. Should any such party desire a copy of this list, however, we will be glad to provide one upon request.

Any pertinent data relating to the proposed unit can be obtained, AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY, from Mr. David Comeaux of Leon Comeaux & Associates, Inc., P. O. Box 53922, Lafayette, La 70505 (337) 233-9839

Finally, there is enclosed herewith our check on behalf of the applicant in the amount of \$755.00, made payable to the Office of Conservation, representing the required hearing application fee.

Very truly yours

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B. J. Duplantis

BJD:ht Attachments

cc: Mr. Richard D. Hudson

District Manager, Office of Conservation

All Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties

